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## REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

For State Treasurer,  
GEN. JOHN S. SMITH,  
of Cook county.For Superintendent of Public Instruction,  
CHARLES T. STRATTAN,  
of Jefferson county.For Congressman—11th District,  
JONATHAN H. BOWELL,  
of McLean county.For State Senator—25th District,  
JASON ROGERS,  
of Macon county.For Representatives—7th District,  
JOHN T. FOSTER, of Logan co.For County Judge,  
SAMUEL P. GREEN.For County Clerk,  
GEORGE P. HARDY.For County Treasurer,  
GEORGE M. WOOD.For County Superintendent,  
EDWIN PHILBROOK.For Sheriff,  
WILLIAM W. CONFER.For Coroner,  
JESSE E. BENNETT.

## SOLDIERS IN OFFICE.

The assertion so often indulged in by the Democratic strikers that the soldier element in Macon county has been neglected in the distribution of official honors, is not borne out by the facts. The following list, though far from being complete, embraces only such soldiers as have been elected or appointed while residents of this county:

Richard J. Oglesby, twice elected governor of Illinois, U. S. senator 6 years.

Jesse H. Moore, twice elected to congress, U. S. pension agent four years, now U. S. consul at Callao, Peru.

Isaac C. Pugh, member of the legislature, county clerk, mayor of Decatur, postmaster at the time of his death.

S. T. Trowbridge—U. S. consul at Vera Cruz thirteen years.

Ira B. Curtis—county treasurer three terms, now pension examining surgeon and justice of the peace.

John E. Jones—sheriff of Macon county one term.

Isaac D. Jennings—sheriff two terms.

John W. Haworth—marshal of Decatur many years.

Norman Pringle—city marshal one term, now in the railway mail service.

George R. Steele, head clerk in the railway mail service for a dozen years or more.

Michael Dempsey now in the railway mail service.

Charles G. McComas prosecuting attorney four years.

Arthur J. Gallagher, circuit judge one term.

Thomas J. Abel alderman and member of the legislature.

William W. Foster, town collector three terms, sheriff one term, now nominee for re-election.

John H. Manzy—deputy marshal, constable, now deputy sheriff.

S. J. Burnside, pension examining surgeon.

Charles F. Emery, present member of the state board of equalization.

Robert P. Lytle, postmaster of Decatur since 1874.

Robert McClelland, city treasurer one term.

Michael F. Kannan, special agent of the post office department, some eight years.

John A. Barnes, collector of Decatur township two terms.

Albert Emerson—formerly deputy collector of internal revenue at Decatur, has since held various city and county offices in Monticello and Piatt county.

W. C. Johns—present prosecuting attorney of Macon county.

John W. Bear—sheriff one term, city marshal one term.

William J. Urey—postmaster of Decatur.

Dr. R. L. Walton, pension examining surgeon.

George B. Penke, postmaster of Decatur.

George V. Loring, county surveyor and city engineer for a number of terms.

Thomas Pennewell, assistant secretary-at-armes of the state senate.

H. W. Rowell—assistant clerk of the Illinois house of representatives, now holding a similar position in the lower house of congress.

Uriah M. Lawrence, county surveyor of Macon county from 1867 to 1869.

In addition to this partial list there are many ex-soldiers holding township and other local offices in the county, many of the country post-offices are filled by soldiers, while the railway mail service is largely officered from the same class. Many Macon county soldiers have emigrated to other states, and hold important and lucrative positions in the communities in which they live.

During the seventeen years that have elapsed since the war closed the Democrats have controlled from one to three of the county offices in this county, besides many of the

township and city. Will the Review please mention an instance in which a Macon county soldier has been chosen to one of these offices by that party?

There was a man in Maine, and his name was Plaisted. He tried to ride two horses, one labeled Democracy, and the other Greenback. The animals trotted along for a short time quite gently, and Plaisted thought he was having a grand success in the political arena, but yesterday the nags started off in different directions, the rider was thrown to the ground much mutilated, and the people went away disgusted with a performer who failed to show what he advertised. Let Adlai Stevenson take warning.

That was a refreshing remark of Mr. Wendling with reference to Adlai's "unspoken sentiments." If there is a political confidence man there is a political confidence man than the John M. Palmers, the Bill Springer, the John Oberly, the Phocion Howards, the Sparxes, the Morrisons and the rest, who are the fathers of this deceitful fulmination. It begins by affirming as "one of its great principles" the very motto which was emblazoned on the banner of the great antagonist of modern Democracy, the Free Soil party, which was organized under John P. Hale in 1852, made a gallant fight with John C. Fremont in 1856, and marched to a triumphant victory under the leadership of Lincoln in 1860. "Free soil, free speech, free men and a free press" was the shibboleth that overthrew the Democratic party, and it overthrew it because it had ruthlessly beaten down the Missouri compromise line, and passed the iniquitous Kansas-Nebraska bill, opening those free territories to the blighting curse of slavery. It was not in favor of "free speech" when one of its agents beat down Charles Sumner in the Senate of the United States, with a bludgeon for words spoken in debate, and the base and cowardly act was justified in all the South. It was not in favor of "a free press" in Illinois when Elijah Lovejoy was murdered by a Democratic mob at Alton, and his printing press thrown into the river. It was not in favor of "equal rights to all" even in the State of Illinois, but kept the odious "black laws" upon our statute book until the Republican party wiped out those laws and the white party which enacted them both together.

But of what use is it to recite the history of the past, or seek to condemn these men out of their own mouths? The record of the Democratic party of this country is black with infamy, imbecility, disgrace and inconsistency. For fifty years the Democratic party was the chief support of chattel slavery in this country, with all its indecent evils, atrocities, and horrors; and when the Southern half of it seemed to overthrow the constitution, the Northern portion of it sympathized with the rebels and gave them aid and comfort. It invented the spoils system, and now it pretends to favor a "reform in the civil service," and denounces political assassinations, after practicing the reverse whenever and wherever it had the power. It declares in favor of the reduction of Federal taxation, when it is a notorious fact that the House bill passed at the late session of Congress for that very purpose, was defeated in the Senate by the persistent efforts, long speeches, and filibustering devices of the Democrats. It denounces Republican extravagances and cites the increase of the annual appropriation bills as something very terrible, when it is notoriously true that greater proportion of Democrats than Republicans in both branches of Congress was found voting to pass the bill over the President's veto. Out upon such infamy and despicable hypocrisy.

Of the ten planks contained in this deceitful and evasive platform, the party's sincerity can easily be impeached in respect to all of them, except the one which relates to the liquor traffic. In that the Democratic party of Illinois has no doubt given us an honest expression of "the great principles which are the foundation of free Government," as the party understands them, which is a flat denial of the right of the people to alter or amend the constitution of the State. Popular sovereignty was once such a recognized and vital principle with modern Democracy in Illinois that their great apostle and leader, Stephen A. Douglas, declared that he did not care whether the people of the free Territories voted slavery up or down—in other words, that the will of the people every where was the supreme law in political affairs. But Mr. Douglass is dead, and the Springers, the Harrisons and the Morrisons. It has, indeed, become the party of false pretenses.

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The Party of False Pretenses.  
Chicago Journal.

Obtaining money by false pretenses is a criminal offense in all the States of the Union, and it is a good thing for the Democratic party of Illinois that it is not a punishable crime under the statute to attempt to get votes by false pretenses. If that was the law, every delegate who voted for the platform adopted by the Democratic State Convention at Springfield last week would be indictable by the Grand Jury. The main portion of that political pronouncement is evasive, false-hearted, and hypocritical, designed to deceive the electors of the State, and was promulgated by its inventors with the intention of obtaining votes by deception and fraud.

Every intelligent reader in and out of the Democratic party knows that this is true, and none know it better than the John M. Palmers, the Bill Springer, the John Oberly, the Phocion Howards, the Sparxes, the Morrisons and the rest, who are the fathers of this deceitful fulmination.

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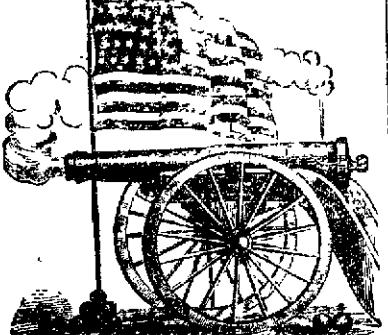
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## NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

## THE FIRST GUN.



## MAINE HAS SPOKEN.

## And Fusion is Nothing but Confusion.

## ADLAI, BEWARE!

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—At 2:05 the jury entered, and through their foreman reported that they were unable to agree. The court stated that it had come to the conclusion to accept a partial verdict.

The roll of defendants was called and all answered "here."

The jury then rendered a verdict of acquittal as to Turner and Peck, and of guilty as to Miner and Reed.

As to the others, they were unable to agree.

On the objection of Mr. Merrick, that Peck had not been arraigned, and consequently could not be included in the verdict, the foreman repeated the report as to the others, but left out the name of Peck.

The jury were then discharged, and Henkle and Rendell respectively, gave notice of a motion for a new trial.

After an angry passage between

Messrs. Ingersoll and Merrick, and the court adjourned until Friday morning.

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Our contracts compel us to take more movements from the different factories than ALL OTHER JEWELERS IN TOWN COMBINED, but

We Get Extra Discounts by It,  
AND THEREFORE

MUST DO IT.

THESE MOVEMENTS

**MUST BE SOLD!**

Don't buy a Watch until you have seen us. We will make it pay you. DO YOUR "LOOKING AROUND," and then COME AND GET OUR PRICES.

**O. E. Curtis & Co.**

**EVERY WATCH WARRANTED.**

Aug 1st 1882—d&wft

**CARPETS.**  
LOOK OUT!  
**WALL-PAPER**  
JUST IN.  
**CURTAINS**  
COMING.

The Nicest, Cheapest and best line of goods ever offered to the trade.

**ABEL & LOCKE**  
Sept. 12—d&wft

**Give us Your Attention a Moment!**

Purchasers of Dry Goods and Millinery should know where to find the Best Assortment, the Newest and Best Styles, and the Most Goods for the Least Money. We honestly believe we fill the bill. "Inspection solicited."

First installment of Cloaks, Wraps, Roman Circulars and Dolmans open and on sale. The finest line ever opened in this city.

Demorest's patterns just received. Millinery Merchandise received daily. Miss Hawkes in charge.

**S. G. HATCH & BRO.**  
NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET.

Sept. 9—d&wft

**THE BIG SHOE STORE,**  
13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

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**ATTENTION ALL!**

D. DUSTMAN,  
**FURNITURE DEALER**

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

**BEST FURNITURE**

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

## The Daily Republican.

### TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,.....	15 Cts.
One year, in advance,.....	\$7.00
Six Months, "	3.50
Three Months, "	1.75

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### LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Call in and see the finest lot of French China Dinner Sets in the city, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO'S.

Lecture Friday evening at the Tabernacle.

The supervisors are in town to-day. Smoke Schroeder's famous Bohemian cigars for solid comfort.

The steam dye works in the Bills block closed a few days ago.

A number of Bloomington democrats arrived in the city last evening.

Many weddings in many different manners in the local gossips predict.

FRESH OYSTERS, in every style, at 12-22 BUTLER BROS.

The Chicago Whiting failed to come to time. No base ball to-day.

New and second-hand school books, in quantities to suit, at 5-10 HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN.

The new dwellings of L. A. Buckingham and Charles L. Griswold will be finished ready for use about November 1st.

John M. Hill, a farmer, residing three miles south of Mt. Auburn, Christian county, committed suicide this morning by hanging himself in his barn. No cause for committing the rash act known.

You can find any school book you may want at Wallace's Book Store.

Sept. 6 d&wft

You can procure anything you want in the grocery line at Niedermeyer's, on the mound.

Watchmen are busy putting down the flooring and nailing on the lath in the John Ulrich building.

At the City Book Store Wallace has a novelty in the Noiseless slate line, that is remarkably cheap. Sept. 6 d&wft

It will pay you to go to Wallace's Book Store and examine his cheap line of School Satchels before you purchase.

Sept. 6 d&wft

Decatur boys play base ball in the streets without molestation. A lively game was in progress in front of the American House on yesterday afternoon.

Buy your school books at Hubbard & Swearingen. They will open wide both down on Monday, and are anticipating a crowd.

Sept. 6 d&wft

See those celebrated Haines Bros. pianos and Western Cottage organs at C. B. Prescott's before purchasing. His prices are low.

The Harrisburg Hitmen want to come to Decatur and play a picked nine of ball batters. Ed Dillehant will get up a club to accommodate the ruralites.

For good-fitting and well-trimmed, well-made suits, see Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square.

Sept. 7 d&wft

"The Veiled Prophets" will march through the streets of St. Louis on Tues day evening, Oct. 3. C. H. Brown of the Wabash, has my thanks for a big picture of the Grand Mogul of all the prophets.

The Central Committee.

The following were reported as members of the congressional central committee for the 14th district: F. M. Burroughs, Clinton, DeWitt county; A. M. Miller, Lincoln, Logan county; S. S. Jack, Decatur, Macon county; Isaac Vauclundstrand, Heyworth, McLean county; W. Voorhees, Jr., Voorhees, Piatt county.

On motion of R. B. Forrest, of Logan, the convention proceeded to nominate a candidate for congress.

THE NOMINEE.

The name of Hon. Adlai E. Stevenson, of McLean county, was placed in nomination by H. C. Mowry, of Macon county.

The nomination was seconded in a florid and laudatory speech on behalf of the McLean delegation by Hon. Geo. R. Wendling, of Bloomington.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

Hon. Jason Biggs visited Lincoln yesterday. He is making host of friends in Logan county.

Will such Macon county greenbackers as Hon. Sam Shelly, Hon. Joshua Green, Hon. Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Pool and others, quit down Stevenson, the Greenback Democratic candidate for Congress? Hardly. Time and again these local leaders have said emphatically that if they put up a candidate for office they would run him solely on the merits of Greenback principles. They hate a fusion ticket, and will not likely be disposed of by addressing W. W. Stevenson, who is a pure Bourbon democrat.

Capt. J. H. Rowell, the Republican nominee for Congress, will open the campaign in Logan county at Lincoln next Saturday night. The Captain is a ready talker, and will make things lively for his two and one-half opponents in the district, from date until biennial election.

There will be plenty of room at the hotel.

Nearly 1500 people presented themselves yesterday for admission to the Decatur public schools. The buildings are reported to be in a crowded condition and will remain in this state until after the fifth ward building is completed. There will be plenty of room at the beginning of the spring term.

BEWARE of imitations of L. L. Ferriss & Co's Coin Cure. None genuine without their name on every bottle. It is warranted to cure every time. Price 25 cents.

Sept. 6 d&wft

"My Life as a Slave. Escape and Attempt to Enter the Union Army," will be the subject of Mr. Geo. S. Yates' talk at the tabernacle on Friday evening next, Sept. 15th. The admission will be ten cents. Mr. Yates is a student in the Western law school at Bloomington, and if he has good luck he will graduate from that institution in June next.

The following are said to be Presbyterian churches now without pastors: Pana, Rev. W. F. Ringland resigned two weeks ago; Assumption, Shelbyville, Rev. W. C. West resigned to go east; Mowry, Macon, Fairlyn, Paxton, Gibson City, Windsor, Butler, Hillsboro, R. V. S. Dickey having resigned to go to Nebraska. In other denominations there are also quite a number of vacant churches.

As soon as Mr. George S. Yates, colored, shall have graduated from the Wesleyan Law School in Bloomington, he will give his attention to three important cases which will come up in the courts. The first will be an action in the United States court against a Decatur firm for an alleged breach of the civil rights bill; the second is a divorce case, and the third is an action for false imprisonment. All three cases have been settled and will keep until after George graduates in June next.

To Chicago and Return.

The Wabash will sell round-trip tickets from Decatur to the Chicago Fair and Exposition on the following dates: Sept. 12 to 13, good to return on the 18th; Sept. 16 to 23, inclusive, good to return on the 25th; Sept. 26 and 27, good to Oct. 2d; Oct. 3 and 4, good to Oct. 9th; on Oct. 11 and 12, good to Oct. 16; and also on Oct. 17 and 18, good to return on Oct. 23. Fare for the round trip, including one admission ticket to the Exposition, which will close Oct. 21, \$7.05.

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